



## Inspection Report

MERVIN GRABER

Customer ID: 322179

Certificate: 32-A-0334

Site: 001

MERVIN M GRABER

M GS BEST FRIEND KENNEL

8350 SOUTH 850 WEST

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: Mar-11-2011

SOUTH WHITLEY, IN 46787

### 2.40 (b) (2)

#### ATTENDING VETERINARIAN AND ADEQUATE VETERINARY CARE (DEALERS AND EXHIBITORS).

(b) Each dealer or exhibitor shall establish and maintain programs of adequate veterinary care that include:

(2) The use of appropriate methods to prevent, control, diagnose, and treat diseases and injuries, and the availability of emergency, weekend, and holiday care;

There were two chihuahuas assigned numbers 1 and 2 that were observed with excessively long toe nails.

Long nails can easily catch and tear and injure the dogs. Proper methods of regular nail trims should be used to prevent long nails.

Trim the nails of the two dogs and perform regular trims on all dogs to prevent long nails.

Correct by: March 13, 2011

### 3.6 (a) (2)

#### PRIMARY ENCLOSURES.

Primary enclosures for dogs and cats must meet the following minimum requirements:

(a) General requirements.

(2) Primary enclosures must be constructed and maintained so that they:

- (i) Have no sharp points or edges that could injure the dogs and cats;
- (ii) Protect the dogs and cats from injury;
- (iii) Contain the dogs and cats securely;

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The second pen on the right side has a broken doorway. The third pen on the left side has a split in the privacy panel between the two pens and half the partition is on the floor in the pen. The last pen on the right has a broken entry door on the outside portion of the enclosure.

These conditions can easily injure the animals or allow an escape.  
All enclosures must be maintained to provide a safe enclosure for the animals.

Repair or replace the broken portion of the enclosures.

Correct by April 10, 2011

Inspection and exit interview conducted with owner and Lori Linn, ACI.

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### 2.126 (b)

#### ACCESS AND INSPECTION OF RECORDS AND PROPERTY.

Section 2.126(b) - Access and inspection of records and property: A responsible adult shall be made available to accompany APHIS officials during the inspection process.

A responsible adult was not available to accompany inspection at 2:30 pm on 03/03/2011.

Contact the inspector by March 20, 2011 to provide times and dates when someone will be available to allow an inspection and review of records.

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Date: Jan-21-2010

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There were no items of non-compliance observed this inspection.

Inspection and exit interview conducted with owner and Lori Linn, ACI.

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### 2.126

#### ACCESS AND INSPECTION OF RECORDS AND PROPERTY.

Sec. 2.126 Access and inspection of records and property.

(a) Each dealer, exhibitor, intermediate handler, or carrier, shall, during business hours, allow APHIS officials:

(1) To enter its place of business;

(2) To examine records required to be kept by the Act and the regulations in this part;

(3) To make copies of the records;

(4) To inspect and photograph the facilities, property and animals, as the APHIS officials consider necessary to enforce the provisions of the Act, the regulations and the standards in this subchapter

The inspector was at the facility on January 13, 2010 and there was noone available to allow an inspection or review of records. It is important to conduct routine inspections to confirm the continued well-being of animals licensed under the Animal Welfare Act.

Contact the inspector by January 21, 2010 to provide times and dates when someone will be available to allow an inspection and review of records.

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Jan-13-2010

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Type: PRELICENSE INSPECTION #1

SOUTH WHITLEY, IN 46787

Date: Jul-17-2009

There were no items of non-compliance observed this inspection.

Inspection and exit interview conducted with owner and Lori Linn, ACI.

Applicant wishes to be issued a Class A license.

Enclosed is a check for the license fee.

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